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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

Hironori YAMAMOTO, et al.

Serial No.: 10/512,139

Group Art Unit: 1795

Filed: December 30, 2004

Examiner: Maples, John S.

For: ANODE FOR SECONDARY BATTERY AND SECONDARY BATTERY  
USING THE SAME

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

Sir:

In response to Office Action dated December 8, 2009, please amend the above identified application as follows:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper. No new matter is added.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.